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SUBJECT: EA ECONOMIC POLICY REVIEW

REF: A) TOKYO 2340 B) MANILA 1276, C) 77 STATE 299030,  
D) TOKYO 2869

1. REF C (SUBJECT EA ECONOMIC POLICY REVIEW) WAS ADDRESSED TO ALL EAST ASIA AND PACIFIC DIPLOMATIC POSTS, BUT OFFICE OF COMMUNICATION INFORMS US THAT IT WAS NOT SENT TO TOKYO. WE ASSUME THERE MUST HAVE BEEN SOME ADMINISTRATIVE ERROR. REF. C (BEING REPEATED TO TOKYO) OUTLINED SCHEDULE AND FORMAT FOR ECONOMIC POLICY REVIEW INPUT FROM POSTS AND DESKS, AND WAS SENT OUT DEC. 15 (WHILE MINISTER USHIBA WAS IN WASHINGTON).

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2. IN VIEW OF FACT THAT STRAUSS-USHIBA MEETING WAS PLANNED FOR JANUARY 12-13, SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS WERE MADE FOR REVIEW OF JAPAN ON FEBRUARY 14 AND WRAP-UP REVIEW SESSION WAS HELD FEBRUARY 16 EA/J WAS UNAWARE UNTIL LAST MINUTE THAT REF C NOT RECEIVED BY TOKYO, BUT MADE USE OF EXCELLENT ANALYSIS PROVIDED BY TOKYO DURING PERIOD OF INTENSE CONSULTATIONS AND IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING STRAUSS-USHIBA AGREE-

MENT (E.G. TOKYO 666, 874, AND 890).

3. BY SEPTTEL, WE ARE SENDING SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS, ISSUES CONCERNING JAPAN, AND DRAFT ACTION PROGRAM TO EMBASSY. THIS PROGRAM IS PRELIMINARY AT THIS STAGE. WE WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING YOUR COMMENTS ON THE PAPER AS WELL AS ANY SUGGESTIONS YOU MAY HAVE WHICH WOULD SUPPLEMENT THOSE IN TOKYO 2869 ON U.S. GOALS AND OBJECTIVES. VANCE

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